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Ms. Creedon is Deputy Administrator for Defense Programs, National Nuclear Security Administration. She was appointed to this position by President Clinton while serving as Minority Counsel on the Senate Committee on Armed Services where she was responsible for the Subcommittee on Strategic Forces.

With a strong background in national security and defense policy, *Ms. Creedon* has served in numerous posts in both the Executive and Legislative branches.

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From November 1994 through October 1995, *Ms. Creedon* was the General Counsel for the Defense Base Closure and Realignment Commission. This Commission, under the Chairmanship of former Senator Alan Dixon of Illinois, was responsible for recommending to the President military bases for closure or realignment.

From 1990 through November 1994, *Ms. Creedon* was majority counsel for the United States Senate Committee on Armed Services, under the Chairmanship of Senator Sam Nunn. While on the committee staff she was responsible for Department of Energy (DOE) national security programs, DOE and Department of Defense (DOD) environmental programs, and base closure transition and implementation programs.

Before joining the staff of the Senate Armed Services committee, *Ms. Creedon* was a trial attorney and Acting Assistant General Counsel for special litigation with the DOE Office of the General Counsel for 10 years. During that time she was responsible for a wide variety of litigation including many cases of first impression for the DOE.

Born and raised in Indianapolis, Indiana, *Ms. Creedon* is a graduate of St. Louis University School of Law. Her Undergraduate Degree is from the University of Evansville, Evansville, Indiana. She and her husband, Jim Bracco, have two children.